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ROBERT KENNEDY JOINS C. I. A. STUDY

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It. And second, that everything possible should be done to avoid a Republican-Democratic fight about the latter point in mind, the President warned members of the White House staff this week-end against trying to place the blame for the failure on C. I. A. Director Dulles. And he intervened personally yesterday to kill stories attributed to one of his aides that former President Eisenhower had recommended the Cuban adventure.

It was against this delicate political background that the President turned to his brother, as he has often done in times of trouble in the past. The Attorney General has the confidence of many Republicans and conservative Democrats on Capitol Hill who have been critical of President Kennedy in the past.

Secrecy a Problem

Cuba has merely dramatized a problem that has troubled the President ever since the U.S. spy-plane controversy of last year and before. This is how an open, nonconspiratorial society, with a free press, skeptical of secret government activities and power, can compete effectively with a secret and conspiratorial society using all the instruments of subversion without having to answer to its own public opinion.

The President referred to this problem in yesterday's National Security Council meeting. He mentioned it also in his speech to the American Society of Newspaper Editors earlier in the week.

Communist armies, he said, serve primarily as the shield behind which subversion, infiltration and a host of other tactics can steadily advance.

"Too long," he added, "we have fixed our eyes on the traditional military needs, on armies prepared to cross borders, or on missiles poised for flight. . . . We intend to re-examine and reorient our forces, our tactics and our institutions. . . . For a struggle in many ways more difficult than war."

The inquiries of Attorney General Kennedy and General Taylor will be directed to this end, and the role of the Central Intelligence Agency, so little known in this country, will be one principal object of their investigations.

The Central Intelligence Agency did not come into being until after World War II. It was created by the National Security Act of 1947. Its statutory functions are:

"To advise the National Security Council (a committee of the Cabinet dealing with the highest defense and foreign policy questions) on intelligence matters related to national security.

"To make recommendations to the National Security Council for coordination of intelligence activities of other departments and agencies of the Government.

"To correlate and evaluate intelligence and provide for its distribution to authorized persons within the Government.

"To perform for the benefit of the intelligence agencies of the other departments such additional services as the National Security Council determines can be accomplished more effectively by central control.

"To perform other functions and duties relating to national security intelligence as the National Security Council may direct.

The training, arming, and master-minding of the Cuban



TO AID INQUIRY: Robert F. Kennedy, the Attorney General, was named by the President to review operations of Central Intelligence Agency.

exercise was one of these "additional services" or "other functions" assigned to the C. I. A. In addition to its job of "correlating and evaluating" the intelligence for that operation.

Allen Dulles has always maintained that the "C. I. A. is not a policy-making agency. We furnish intelligence to assist in the formulation of policy. Nevertheless, during the last few years, the C. I. A. has increasingly been charged with departing from this role and setting itself up as a "third force" in the Government, competing with the State and Defense Departments for the adoption of policies its intelligence estimates seemed to support.

Forrestal Noted Dilemma

The first Secretary of Defense, James V. Forrestal, referred to one dilemma facing the intelligence officials at the very beginning.

"In a democracy," he remarked, "intelligence activity is a difficult task. By the nature of its objectives it ought not to have publicity; yet that is one of our difficult problems—just as during the war one of our greatest problems was the making available of the news that should be available and yet denying to the enemy the things that could lend him not only comfort but substantial and effective help."

The structure of the C. I. A. reflects this dilemma. Unlike the secret service of most other countries, it is part open and part underground.

For example, it is in the process of moving into a vast building along the Virginia side of the Potomac River outside Washington. This is almost as big as the Pentagon, has its own road system from Washington and huge billboard signs across the road directing the way to the "C. I. A."

Harry Howe Ransom, a research associate in the Defense Program at Harvard University who has studied the C. I. A., says, "A reasonable estimate might put the number of Washington employees [of the C. I. A.] at 8,000 to 10,000, with some several thousand additional agents overseas or outside Washington."

Total intelligence expenditures of the Government are estimated by Dr. Ransom at \$2,000,000,000 a year, with personnel in all services totaling 20,000 to 30,000, and the C. I. A. spending "several hundred millions of dollars annually."

However, while everybody knows where the new C. I. A. building is, and while its top officials make public speeches

little is known, even in Congress and elsewhere outside the White House, about what it does or what it spends.

Congress has, in effect, given up its normal controls over the activities of this branch of the executive. The agency's budget is considered within the budgets of various Government departments.

There are C. I. A. subcommittees of the armed services committees of the House and Senate, and their members are given occasional briefings on C. I. A. operations. It is not known whether the C. I. A. subcommittees were given information about the Cuban operation.

Always after a military defeat or surprise there is an outcry against the C. I. A. When Gen. Walter Bedell Smith took over control of the C. I. A., he was quoted as having said: "America's people expect you to be on a communing level with God and Joe Stalin. . . . They expect you to be able to say that war will start next Tuesday at 5:32 P. M."

Investigation Supported

The Cuban affair, however, has not produced opposition to having an agency deal with subversion, but rather a demand that it do a more effective job.

Within the agency itself, there is no opposition to the Kennedy investigation. Officials there accept the validity of the question why the agency was so wrong about the spirit of the Cuban people—especially when it had had its agents all over the island for months before the refugees landed.

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LAOS REBELS SEIZE KEY POINT ON ROAD

VIETNAME, Laos, Monday, April 24 (AP)—Rebel troops seized the Government stronghold of Vang Vieng, and captured three United States army advisers, reliable sources reported today.

The sources said the three Americans, who were not identified, had been missing since the rebel attack.

The rebel drive was launched before dawn yesterday. Government forces retreated.

Vang Vieng was the headquarters of Gen. Kouprasith Abhay, on the north-south highway between Vientiane and Luang Prabang, the royal capital. It is eighty miles north of Vientiane.

Special to The New York Times.

HONG KONG, April 23.—Premier Chou En-lai of Communist China said today the success of the "Cuban people" against the "armed United States aggression" was an example for the people of Laos.

30 Freight Cars Derailed
BRIDGEPORT, Ind., April 23 (UPI)—Thirty cars of a 102-car Pennsylvania Railroad freight train piled up in a derailment today, blocking the main line between Indianapolis and St. Louis. No one was injured.

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